

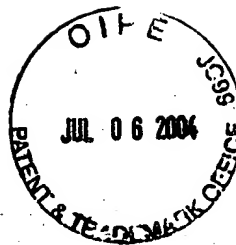
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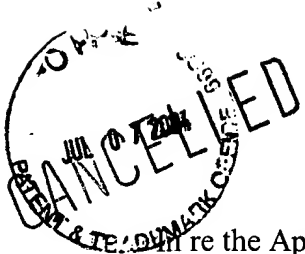
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated June 10, 2004, in which the examiner requires restriction to one of the following groups of claims:

Group I, claim(s) 1-23, drawn to a method for wireless transmission of data in digital and/or analogue format through a communication channel from at least two local data sensors to a data processing means, classified in class 340. subclass 870.11.

Group II, claim(s) 24-25, drawn to a specific method for vibration analysis of a machine or other article, classified in class 73, subclass 1.82.

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Applicants here elect claims 1-23 of Group I for purposes of examination on the merits in this application.

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